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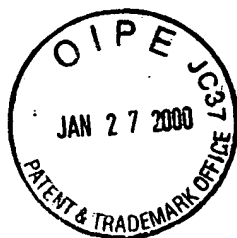
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Please find enclosed:

- (1) An Amendment and Response to Office Action dated October 21, 1999;
- (2) Substitute Sequence Listing pages 1-114;
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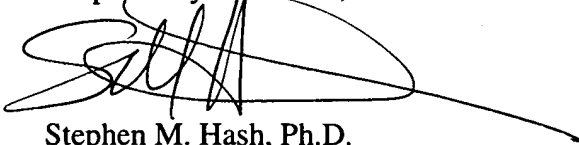
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